



# Indiana State Department of Health

# Indiana Long Term Care Leadership Conference

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STRATEGIES FOR REDUCTION OF PRESSURE ULCERS



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Indiana Convention Center

Indianapolis, IN

# Invitation to the October 30, 2007 Leadership Conference

The Indiana State Department of Health (ISDH) invites you to attend the second Indiana Long Term Care Leadership Conference scheduled for October 30, 2007 in Indianapolis. The ISDH is planning an outstanding program. The topic of the October Leadership Conference will be "Strategies for the Prevention of Pressure Ulcers." The ISDH invites you to join us as we address this significant healthcare problem.

### CONFERENCE TOPIC: "STRATEGIES FOR THE PREVENTION OF PRESSURE ULCERS"

The October Leadership Conference will:

- Kick-off the development of initiatives directed at the prevention of pressure ulcers.
- Provide you with information that can be carried back and immediately utilized in the development of facility procedures.
- Provide ideas that can be developed into a long term program to prevent pressure ulcers through the presentation on the New Jersey initiative.

Because pressure ulcers are a problem for both long term care facilities and hospitals, the ISDH is inviting both groups to attend the conference and the program will be directed to both provider groups.

#### **INVITED PARTICIPANTS**

The ISDH invites each comprehensive care facility (nursing home) to send two representatives to the conference. Each facility may select the individuals attending the conference on behalf of their facility. In addition, the ISDH invites each hospital to send two representatives. The ISDH recommends individuals such as the facility administrator, director of nursing, or compliance officer. Corporate offices of facilities are also invited to send appropriate representatives.

Also invited by the ISDH are selected professional organizations and individuals including: the Alzheimer's Association of Greater Indiana, HealthCare Excel, Hoosier Owners and Providers for the Elderly, Indiana Health Care Association, Indiana Hospital & Health Association, Indiana Homes and Services for the Aging, Indiana Assisted Living Federation, Indiana Ombudsman, patient safety coalitions and centers, and United Senior Action. The ISDH will also be inviting academic and legislative partners. All ISDH long term care and acute care surveyors will be attending.

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#### ABOUT THE LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

The Indiana Long Term Care Leadership Conference is a new initiative of the Indiana State Department of Health (ISDH). The ISDH plans a spring and fall, one-day Leadership Conference with a focus on a single issue. At the first Leadership Conference on June 14, 2007, 720 participants from 313 long term care facilities and 12 healthcare organizations along with ISDH long term care surveyors were treated to an outstanding presentation and valuable educational resources on falls management.

#### Each conference will:

- Provide updates on the long term care licensing and certification program
- Discuss quality of care initiatives and programs
- Discuss an ongoing regulatory issue with a goal of clarifying regulations and providing improved guidance on issues
- Provide best practices on quality of care
- Provide an opportunity for increased interaction and awareness

The ISDH is excited to bring together healthcare leaders to discuss healthcare and the regulatory system. It is our goal to develop evidence-based standards that result in improved quality of care provided to residents while improving the effectiveness of the survey process. The conferences will be an important opportunity to have dialogue on long term care issues and improving the health of Hoosiers.

#### REGISTRATION DETAILS

#### To Register

- Visit <u>www.in.gov/isdh</u> to register online
- Complete the attached form
- Mail form to:

Indiana Long Term Care Leadership Conference C/O Meeting Services Unlimited 135 S. Mitthoeffer Rd. Indianapolis, IN 46229

#### OR

• Fax to 317-578-0621 if paying with credit card

Payment: Credit Cards or Check made out to Meeting Services Unlimited.

Questions - call 317-841-7171 or email info@conventionmanagers.com

Registration materials must be received by October 26, 2007

# PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE PROGRAM: OCTOBER 30, 2007

The following is a preliminary agenda for the conference. The listed speakers have been confirmed. The times are approximate and may be adjusted as schedules and the program agenda are finalized. All sessions will be in the Sagamore Ballroom of the Indiana Convention Center.

#### 7:30 – 8:30 Conference Registration

A continental breakfast will be available for conference participants.

#### 8:30 - 8:45 "Introduction to Conference"

Speaker: Terry Whitson, Assistant Commissioner, Indiana State Department of Health.

#### 8:45 – 9:15 "State Health Initiatives for the Prevention of Pressure Ulcers"

Speaker: Judy Monroe, M.D., Indiana State Health Commissioner.

Topic: The State Health Commissioner will provide an update on health issues affecting long term care and discuss state initiatives for the prevention of pressure ulcers.

#### 9:15 – 10:00 "Collaborative Efforts to Reduce Pressure Ulcers" (part 1)

Speakers: Dr. Elizabeth Ayello, RN, PhD, FAPWCA. Dr. Ayello is a nationally recognized expert in the field of pressure ulcer prevention and treatment and is a Senior Adviser for The John A. Hartford Institute for Geriatric Nursing, New York University.

> Aline Holmes, RN, APNC, MSN. Ms. Holmes is Senior Vice-President for Clinical Affairs with the New Jersey Hospital Association.

Theresa Edelstein, MPH, LNHA. Ms. Edelstein is Vice-President for Continuing Care with the New Jersey Hospital Association.

Topic: Dr. Ayello, Theresa Edelstein, and Aline Holmes will discuss the formation and implementation of the New Jersey Pressure Ulcer Collaborative. The collaborative included hospitals, nursing homes, and home care agencies. The two-year collaborative effort resulted in a significant reduction in the incidence of new pressure ulcers.

10:00 - 10:15 Break

#### 10:15 - 11:00 "Collaborative Efforts to Reduce Pressure Ulcers" (part 2)

Speakers: Dr. Elizabeth Ayello, RN, PhD, FAPWCA.

Aline Holmes, RN, APNC, MSN Theresa Edelstein, MPH, LNHA

#### 11:00 - 12:00 "Survey Standards for Pressure Ulcers"

Speaker: Sharon White, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Region V, Chicago, Illinois.

Topic: Ms. White will discuss the regulatory requirements of 42 CFR § 483.25(c) [F314] which states:

Based on the comprehensive assessment of a resident, the facility must ensure that--

- (1) A resident who enters the facility without pressure sores does not develop pressure sores unless the individual's clinical condition demonstrates that they were unavoidable; and
- (2) A resident having pressure sores receives necessary treatment and services to promote healing, prevent infection and prevent new sores from developing.

#### 12:00 - 1:00 Lunch

Lunch will be provided for conference participants.

#### 1:00 – 2:30 "Strategies for Skin: Pressure Ulcer Prevention, Assessment, and Treatment"

Speaker: Karen S. Clay, RN, BSN, CWCN. President, Clay and

Associates, Fiskdale, Massachusetts.

Topic: Ms. Clay will discuss how you can prevent, assess and treat pressure ulcers using common sense techniques. Topics will include risk factors, organizing a system, process analysis, risk assessment, complications, staging, wound management, and achieving positive outcomes.

2:30 - 2:45 Break

#### 2:45 – 4:00 "Strategies for Skin: Pressure Ulcer Prevention, Assessment, and Treatment" (continued)

Speaker: Karen S. Clay, RN, BSN, CWCN. President, Clay and

Associates, Fiskdale, Massachusetts.

4:00 Adjourn

#### **CONFERENCE LOCATION**

Sagamore Ballroom Indiana Convention Center 100 South Capitol Avenue Indianapolis, IN 46225 http://www.iccrd.com/conv/index.aspx

#### CONFERENCE FUNDING

The conference is primarily funded through the ISDH civil money penalty fund. A small registration fee of \$50 will be charged to pay for meeting costs that cannot be paid by the civil money penalty fund.

#### **HOTEL INFORMATION**

The ISDH expects that some individuals may need an overnight stay to accommodate travel time. There are numerous hotels in the immediate vicinity of the Indiana Convention Center. A list of hotels is available at the Indiana Convention Center Website at http://www.iccrd.com/conv/ hotels.aspx. Participants are responsible for making their hotel reservations and any incurred expenses.

#### **CONTINUING EDUCATION UNITS**

Continuing education units will be available for social workers and health facility administrators.



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